LAMENT AND REVENGE: ON THE VIOLENCE OF LANGUAGE

Friday, 28. April 2017

10:00 – 10:30 Opening
Ilit Ferber (Tel Aviv) & Juliane Prade-Weiss (New Haven/Frankfurt a. M.)

10:30 – 12:00 Job
Agata Biedlik-Robson (Nottingham)
*I Hurt, Therefore I Am: Descartes with Job*
Nehama Verbin (Tel Aviv)
*Protest and Acquiescence in Kierkegaard’s Job*

13:30 – 15:00 Poetry
Omer Michaelis (Tel Aviv)
*Wrath and Melancholy in Medieval Jewish Poetry*
Tali Latowicki (Beer Sheva)
*The Revenge of the Dead Poet: Self-Lament and the Poetics of Melancholy*

15:30 – 17:00 Philosophy
Csongor Lörincz (Berlin)
*Gewalt and Sovereignty (Heidegger-Benjamin)*
Tatjana Sheplyakova (Frankfurt a. M.)
*Laments – Remedies – Rights: Revaluing Nietzsche’s Appeal to “the most spiritual revenge” by the Jews*

17:30 – 19:00 Contemporary Conflict
Jose Brunner (Tel Aviv)
*Mapping the Politics of Revenge: From Machiavelli to the Middle East Conflict*
Yael Almog (Göttingen)
*The Spirit of Return: Violence and Lament in Yael Bartana’s “And Europe will Be Stunned”*

Saturday, 29. April 2017

10:30 – 12:00 Activity and Passivity
Noam Reisner (Tel Aviv)
*The Dialectics of Patient Revenge on the Early Modern English Stage*
Ilit Ferber (Tel Aviv)
*Pain’s Echo: Lament and Revenge*

13:30 – 15:00 Tackle Revenge
Juliane Prade-Weiss (New Haven/Frankfurt a. M.)
*Response in Freud: Neurotic and Ritual Lament*
Chiara Alfano (London)
*Augustine Throws a Tantrum: On the Role of Revenge and Lament in Accounts of Language Acquisition from Wittgenstein to Winnicott*

15:00 – 15:45 Closing Remarks